

THE CLAIMS

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14. (original) A reinforced corner post assembly comprising:

a longitudinal corner post having an outer wall and an inner wall joined at opposing ends to form a tube having a hollow interior, a longitudinal groove being integrally formed in one of the walls, the groove including opposing sides extending from the wall along opposing edges; and

a reinforcing tube disposed within the longitudinal groove, the reinforcing tube having an outer diameter greater than the distance from one edge to the opposite edge.

15. (original) The assembly of claim 14 wherein the outer wall has an exterior side facing away from the hollow interior, and the groove is integrally formed in the exterior side of the outer wall.

16. (original) A reinforced corner post assembly comprising:

a longitudinal corner post formed from a single sheet of material wound into a hollow tube having two or more layers, the corner post having an outer wall and an inner wall joined at opposing ends and a longitudinal slot integrally formed in one of the walls between opposing layers; and

a reinforcing tube disposed within the longitudinal slot.

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